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SICKLY PROPAGANDA

NOT long ago Sir Philip Gibbs made a lecture tour of the United States, and told numerous audiences of the woeful situation of Europe. The distressing financial condition of Great Britain was prominently mentioned, and the extreme improbability of the British ever collecting the billions of debts due them from other European nations. But despite the plight of the British exchequer, Great Britain would never, no never, refuse to meet her obligations to the United States. The emphasis Sir Philip put upon that point seemed quite unnecessary in view of the fact that nobody had accused Great Britain of attempted repudiation.

Other speakers have followed Sir Philip and have lectured in much the same vein. Now comes Col. Repington, the distinguished British writer on international topics. The title of his lecture is "Personalities of Europe." But, strangely enough, not a single foreign statesman is mentioned in his whole address. Instead, his talk deals with what Europe needs in her predicament, most of it from America, including substantial financial assistance. His audiences are told that Englishmen have to pay taxes four times the American rate, and they are assured that American bankers favor a re-distribution of the gold supply. But as for the British debt to America—Great Britain has always paid her debts and she always will, and far be it from the Colonel to suggest otherwise. Nevertheless, the British treasury is in a mighty bad way and much economic good would come through a re-allotment of gold. One of Repington's auditors in St. Louis remarked, "His speech was saturated with the spirit of that familiar propaganda." When an individual finds it necessary to go around declaiming about his honesty, it is time for others to be on the alert. We are willing to take the word of Mr. Lloyd George that Great Britain will pay. Why can't the British propagandists in this country let it go at that?

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Preventative Medicine

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30 lin. ft. 24 in. R. C. Pipe
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2,000 cu. yds. Barrow
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2,050 cu. yds. Cement Concrete Pavement
380 cu. yds. Class A Concrete
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The envelope containing the proposal must be marked "Proposal for the Construction of State Highway."

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ON SATURDAY,
THE 29TH DAY OF APRIL, 1922
at 10 o'clock, A. M.

the following described Real Estate, viz: ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with a two-story brick house thereon erected, known as No. 617 North Jackson street, situate in the City of Wilmington, New Castle County and State of Delaware, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Jackson street, at the distance of one hundred and thirty-one feet nine inches northwardly from the northerly side of Sixth street; thence westwardly parallel with Sixth street, passing through the middle of a two feet two inches wide alley, and also through the middle of the division wall between the house on this lot and the house adjoining on the south, one hundred feet to a point; thence northwardly parallel with Jackson street sixteen feet five inches to a point; thence eastwardly parallel with Sixth street and passing through the middle of the division wall between the house on this lot and the house on the lot adjoining on the north, one hundred feet to the said westerly side of Jackson street and thence thereby southwardly sixteen feet five inches to the place of beginning. Be the contents thereof what they may. Together with the free use and privilege of the above mentioned two feet two inches wide alley, in common with the owners or occupants of said house adjoining on the south, and also with the free use and privilege of a certain six-inch terra cotta drain pipe leading in front of this and other houses into the Sixth street sewer. Subject nevertheless to a share of the expense and repairs forever.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Howard S. Black and Elwood Black, Jr., executors, under the last will and testament of Lydia Black, deceased, and to be sold by

JOSEPH H. GOULD, Sheriff,
April 11, 1922.

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ON SATURDAY,
THE 22D DAY OF APRIL, 1922,
at 11 o'clock, A. M.

the following described Real Estate, viz: ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon erected, known as No. 120 West Eighteenth street, situate in City of Wilmington, County of New Castle and State of Delaware, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the southwesterly side of Eighteenth street, at the distance of thirty-four feet southwesterly from the southeasterly side of West street, thence southwesterly parallel with West street, and passing through the center of the brick division wall between the building on this lot and the building on the lot adjoining on the northwest, one hundred and twenty-five feet to the northeasterly side of a five-foot wide alley running parallel with Eighteenth street, leading into West street; thence southeasterly along the south side of said alley and parallel with Eighteenth street, sixteen feet to a corner; thence northeasterly parallel with West street, one hundred and twenty-five feet to the aforesaid westerly side of Eighteenth street, and thence thereby northwesterly sixteen feet to the place of beginning. Be the contents thereof what they may. With the free use and privilege of the above-mentioned five-foot wide alley in common with others binding thereon, forever.

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April 4, 1922.

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ON SATURDAY,
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the following described Real Estate, viz: ALL that lot or parcel of land known as No. 106 Lincoln street thereon erected situate in the City of Wilmington, aforesaid bounded and described as follows, to-wit: BEGINNING at a point on the easterly side of Lincoln street at the distance of thirty-one feet and four-fifths of an inch southerly from the southerly side of Conrad street and thence southerly along said side of Lincoln street fifteen feet six and two-fifths inches thence easterly parallel with Conrad street and passing through the middle of the division wall between these premises and the house adjoining on the south and through the center of a partly covered alley ninety feet, thence northerly parallel with Lincoln street fifteen feet six and two-fifths inches, thence westerly parallel with Conrad street, and passing through the middle of the division wall between these premises and the house adjoining on the north ninety feet to the place of beginning. With the free and uninterrupted use, liberty and privilege of said alley in common with others entitled thereto forever.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Sarah L. Wilson, Administratrix of the estate of William L. Wilson, deceased, and to be sold by

JOSEPH H. GOULD, Sheriff,
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del.,
April 4, 1922.

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ON SATURDAY,
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the following described Real Estate, viz: ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land with the two-story brick dwelling house thereon erected, known as No. 1810 Lincoln street, situate in the City of Wilmington, New Castle County and State of Delaware, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in the easterly side of Lincoln street, at the distance of seventy-two feet northerly from the northerly side of Gilpin Avenue; thence easterly parallel with Gilpin Avenue, and through the middle of the party wall of the adjoining house on the south sixty-nine feet to the westerly side of a three-foot wide alley leading into Gilpin Avenue; thence along said side of said alley northerly parallel with Lincoln street, fourteen feet to a corner; thence westerly and parallel with Gilpin Avenue and passing through the center of another party wall, sixty-nine feet to the aforesaid side of Lincoln street and thence thereby southerly fourteen feet to the place of beginning. Be the contents thereof what they may. Together with the free and uninterrupted use and privilege of said alley with others entitled thereto in common forever.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Francis McCartney, Jr., and Julia A. McCartney, his wife, mortgagors and its, and to be sold by

JOSEPH H. GOULD, Sheriff,
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del.,
April 5, 1922.

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Lev. Fac., to me directed, will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, southeast corner of Eleventh and King Streets, City of Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware.

ON SATURDAY,
THE 22D DAY OF APRIL, 1922,
at 11 o'clock, A. M.

the following described real estate, viz: All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the two dwelling houses thereon erected, situate in the City of Wilmington, New Castle County and State of Delaware, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Rodney street, at the distance of eighty-four feet southerly from the southwesterly side of Gilpin Avenue, thence southerly by said side of Rodney street twenty-eight feet; thence westerly parallel with Gilpin Avenue seventy-six feet five inches to a point; thence easterly side of an alley three feet wide, running parallel with Rodney street into Gilpin Avenue, thence northerly by said alley side twenty-eight feet, thence southeasterly parallel with Gilpin Avenue and passing through the middle of the division wall between the house on this lot and the house adjoining on the north seventy-six feet five inches to the place of beginning. Be the contents thereof what they may. With the free and uninterrupted right, use and privilege of said alley in common with others entitled thereto forever. Under and subject, nevertheless, to an equitable share of the costs, charges and expenses of levying and selling the same.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Laura I. E. Brown, and to be sold by

JOSEPH H. GOULD, Sheriff,
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del.,
April 3, 1922.

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Lev. Fac., to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale, at the Court House, Southeast Corner of Eleventh and King Streets, City of Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware.

ON SATURDAY,
THE 15TH DAY OF APRIL, 1922,
at 10 o'clock, A. M.

the following described Real Estate, viz: ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the City of Wilmington, aforesaid, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the southwesterly side of Twenty-seventh street, with the northwesterly side of Monroe street, thence northerly along said side of Twenty-seventh street one hundred and twenty-five feet to a corner; thence southwesterly and parallel with Monroe street, one hundred and twenty-five feet to another corner; thence southeasterly parallel with Twenty-seventh street, one hundred and twenty-five feet to the aforesaid northwesterly side of Monroe street, and thence thereby northeasterly one hundred and twenty-five feet to the place of beginning. Be the contents thereof what they may.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of James J. Horisk, and to be sold by

JOSEPH H. GOULD, Sheriff,
Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del.,
March 24, 1922.

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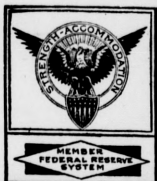
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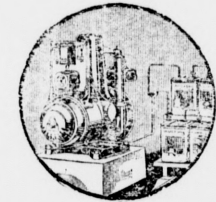
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THE WATCHERS

By S. HELEN ANDERSON

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The Browns had been married for ten years and nothing had marred their happiness. They had been content with each other's society for 12 months of each of the ten years; that is, until within the past three or four days.

Something, an indescribable something, had crept into the atmosphere hereofore so calm. It was that indefinable something on which no finger can be laid. Mr. Brown first noticed it by the seared, wistful glances of his wife. She seemed to watch him furtively, and when she saw him glance at her, would look away quickly. She seemed to have something on her mind. Perhaps she was tired of him. The more he thought of that the stronger he was convinced. Well, he'd watch her closely and prove it.

On the other hand, Mrs. Brown first noticed the change in Mr. Brown when he started to watch her with that searching, questioning look. The thought entered her mind that he was comparing her with some one. Who was it? Perhaps a younger, prettier woman. Every time she looked at him she caught him just looking away. She decided she would watch him carefully in an attempt to fathom this mystery.

The days went by even as days will. Mr. Brown kept a close, secretive survey of his wife. He noticed with alarm the increasing signs of her nervousness and caught her many times looking at him with the same half-seared, wistful glances. He felt that he must speak about it, ask her what she meant, or even suggest a separation—anything was better than this undercurrent of mystery.

On this particular morning he noticed that she was even more nervous and he decided to learn the truth. "Carrie, er—er," he stammered. "Yes, John," she answered, rather nervously.

"Did the paper come this morning?" he finished lamely. She got the paper for him and he opened it, giving a semblance of reading, but all the time he kept a close survey of his wife, who in turn, watched him deep in the paper, thinking him more openly than before. Nothing of this escaped Mr. Brown. It seemed that things had about reached the climax. He had come definitely to the conclusion that Mrs. Brown was dissatisfied, but was too timid to say anything to him about it. Well, he wasn't.

"Carrie, er—er," he started again. "Yes, John."

"Er—have you read about this murder case?" he finished.

For the next five minutes, he related the details of the murder and trial, but his words were a mere cloak for thoughts far nearer to him. Well, he'd speak about it tomorrow or perhaps—yes, he'd write a note and leave it on her dresser just before he left for work.

Meanwhile Mrs. Brown had become fully convinced that John wanted to tell her something, but was afraid to, as it might hurt her. She was now quite sure that he was tired of her and dissatisfied with married life. Perhaps he even wanted a divorce. A divorce! A dry sob came to her throat. And she still loved him. Well, she could prove her love by making things easier for him. She knew that her emotions would overcome her if she ventured to tell him that she would not stand in his way any longer. Yes, she would send a note to his office by special messenger so that he would receive it the first thing this morning.

So it came about that, when Mr. Brown opened his mail, he found the following note:

"My Dear John: Something strange in your manner recently has convinced me that you are unhappy. Even though my feelings toward you have remained unchanged, I will no longer stand in your way, and (there a large blot, evidently a tear, smeared the page) I will let you have a divorce. I want you to be happy. CARRIE."

Mr. Brown gasped, read the note again, and still a third time. Then he called the office boy, told him he'd be out for the rest of the day, and boarded the first homeward bound car. He found Mrs. Brown just finishing reading the note he had left.

"Carrie!"

And he clasped her in his arms. "What made you look at me so funny?" Mr. Brown asked after they had fully recovered their senses. "Why, I thought you were watching me." She looked at him in surprise. "Oh, John, how near this came to wrecking our happiness."

Foiled. My house was for sale and the real estate man called me in the morning and said he would bring a buyer in the afternoon. As our cellar was full of water, I hired a neighbor boy to dip the water out before the buyer arrived. When the men arrived I showed them the house. At the last the buyer said, "Oh, yes, is your cellar dry?"

And I said, "Oh, yes, it is as dry as any cellar is."

We started down the stairs to the cellar and the neighbor boy yelled up, "Oh, no, I've been dipping water for an hour and a half and the floor's covered yet."

The man did not take the house. Exchange.

Four Children in One Year.

Four babies in one year are now at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Young of Abilene, Tex. A set of triplets and a single son are the quartette. The mother is thirty years old and now has ten children.

Kept Marriage Secret Eleven Years

After keeping their marriage a secret for 11 years, Sarah Howell and Tobias Hendershot of Vienna, N. J. have announced that they were married in 1910.

WEDDING SUPERSTITIONS

If you cut your fingers when you cut the wedding cake, it is a bad omen.

The bride should not make her own bridal cake.

Have grapes at the wedding supper, and keep the bride from want.

It is a good omen for the bride to eat celery at her wedding breakfast.

Poverty is seen in the distance if the first meal in the new home is disturbed.

Lay by some bread from the wedding feast, and you will never know want.

For luck, eat nothing before the ceremony after once you are dressed in wedding garb.

If the crust of the saved-up wedding loaf gets moldy, the marriage will not be a happy one.

If an accident befalls the bride's cake she may look for sorrows early in her married life.

If the bride leaves a piece of cake on her plate, and an unmarried person eats it, it will be the sign of that one's speedy marriage.

The bride and groom should use the same finger bowl at their wedding breakfast, so the water fables will bring no discord into their lives.

STARS AND STRIPES

Movie actress took a drink of lysol by mistake. By mistake for what?

The cellar sure is living up to its reputation of being the dampest part of the house.

The telephone company says: "The voice with a smile wins." You bet it does—but the wrong number!

Some men achieve fame by hard work; others move out of town and have their wives murder 'em.

As far as the exonerated White Sox are concerned, with big league baseball hereafter they will be a wonderful bunch of hallplayers.—Chicago Herald and Examiner.

MAXIMS OF NAPOLEON

They walk quick who walk alone.

The best cure for the body is to quiet the mind.

We must laugh at man to avoid crying for him.

Every hour of lost time creates a chance of evil for the future.

Paradise is a central spot where there remains something to be done.

POPULAR SCIENCE

A stainless steel has been invented in England.

German silver is an alloy of copper, nickel and zinc.

Air, under pressure at a low temperature, can be turned into a liquid or even a solid.

A newly developed variety of cotton has the long fiber of the Sea Island cotton and has the advantage that it develops earlier.

THE BEE

A bee, unladen, can fly forty miles an hour.

A bee can carry twice its own weight in honey.

Bees suck over 3,000,000 flowers to gather one pound of honey.

The sting of a bee is only one-thirtieth of an inch long.

The carpenter bee burrows and builds rows of cells in solid wood.

The bee, in proportion to its size, is thirty-five times as strong as a horse.

The working bee lives six months, the drone four months and the queen four years.

Bees are rapid flyers when home-bound. They have been known to outspeed the pigeon.

The mate of the honey bee comes between the queen and the workers in size, and is stingless.

It is the habit of bees to place their honey in the coolest place in the hive and the young insects in the warmest.

The "leaf-cutter" bee is a very skillful artificer. So exact are the circles he cuts that a compass will fail to detect a fault.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

Some mothers spare the rod and spoil the slipper.

A man resembles a ball of twine when he is wrapped up in himself.

Part of the world loves a lover; the rest of the world considers him a chump.

It's when a girl thinks a man doesn't care for her that she begins to try to make him.

If the husband makes a living by gambling the wife usually has to support the family.

DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS AT CONVOCAION ON LIMITATION OF ARMAMENT

Both men and women of distinction and outstanding leadership will be present and speak at the Convocation of Christian Citizens in behalf of the limitation of armament which meets its sessions in the Central High School and New Masonic auditoriums, at Washington, D. C. from Sunday, October 30th, through Wednesday, November 2nd, under the direction of the National Reform Association.

The association itself has a staff of internationally known speakers, who will be present and speak at the Convocation. These include its general superintendent, James S. Martin, the originator and successful director of three great World Christian Citizenship Conferences; James S. McGaw, its general field secretary, and known as "America's rapid-fire civic evangelist"; Sam W. Small, the famous Southern humorist, orator and dramatist; Clinton N. Howard, the "Little Giant" of the American platform, and Edwin J. Dinwiddie, rector of the International Anti-Alcoholic Congress.

Other speakers of distinction include a United States senator, a representative, a beloved bishop, famous authors and widely known leaders in the war on war.



Among the women who will be present at the Convocation on the limitation of armament is Mrs. Thomas G. Winter of Minneapolis, Minn., the popular president of the National Federation of Women's Clubs, who will speak on Monday afternoon, October 31st, at the New Masonic auditorium on the subject, "Internal Development Hindered by Militarism." Another woman of charming personality is Mrs. Deborah Knox Livingston of Providence, Rhode Island, superintendent of the Christian Citizenship Department of the National W. C. T. U., who will be heard Monday evening in the Central High School auditorium on the subject, "Applied Christianity in Relation to War."

Red Cross Gives \$310,000 to Aid 'Clean-Up' Drive

An appropriation of \$310,000 for Red Cross work in connection with the "clean-up" campaign instituted by the Government to bring the claims of all disabled service men who are entitled to Federal aid before the proper government bureau for action, has been made by the American Red Cross. The Executive Committee of the American Red Cross in making the appropriation authorized the appropriation of \$310,000 of this sum to the American Legion to defray the expense of the Legion representatives assigned to the various districts of the Veterans Bureau.

The remainder of the appropriation was authorized for apportionment among the several Divisions of the Red Cross for carrying on that part of the "clean-up" work that falls directly upon the Red Cross organization.

Young America Sends Vast Relief To Needy Abroad

Various relief projects of the Junior American Red Cross in European countries resulted in helping 237,000 destitute children during the last fiscal year, according to the annual report of the American Red Cross for that period. The growth of the activities of the Juniors abroad is manifested by a comparison which shows this figure is 200,000 larger than that of the previous fiscal year.

The National Children's Fund raised by school children, members of the Junior American Red Cross, was drawn upon for \$420,537 for these projects. Receipts for the National Children's Fund during the last fiscal year totaled \$155,317.

Found Eating Wasp Near Texas.

Texarkana, Ark.—Eagerly eating wasps nests, a man who said he was John Zing was found the other day under a bridge near death from starvation. He said he had been unable to obtain sufficient food by begging. He was turned over to a charitable institution.

Discover Amber In Canada.

Vancouver.—Hundreds of tons of fossiliferous amber from the coal measures in the Nicola valley of British Columbia have turned out on expert examination to contain amber. This is believed to be the first amber discovered on the North American continent.

Picked 1,000 Chickens To Buy; Stole Them

An enterprising chicken thief visited J. E. Strange, a farmer of near Sheldon, Ia., and asked him to create up 1,000 chickens so that he could call for them the next day. That night the fake buyer returned to the Strange farm while the owner and his family slept and stole the crates filled with chickens from where they had been stored in the hen-house.

LONDON'S NARROW ESCAPE

News Agency Says Oxford Circus Might Have Caved In.

London has just narrowly escaped a great peril, the possible caving in of Oxford Circus, the shopping center of the West End, says a story circulated by a news agency. The danger of the disaster was known only to contractors and workers underground. They were altering an exit from the Oxford Circus tube station so as to make an entrance into a business building when the contractors discovered a bed of a little unknown tributary of the Thames river which was covered over when Regent street was made.

They also found, to their amazement and consternation, that they were meeting the direct "lines of vibration" of the two underground tubes, the Central London and the Bakerloo.

The news agency says that they realized that if the excavations continued the whole of Oxford Circus might be literally precipitated underground. There were perilous days and laborious nights occupied in underpinning the buildings above ground and overcoming the side pressure which was being felt.

In place of the shifting sands of the old river bed there was constructed a retaining wall of cement, which, it is declared, has made the great shopping center more secure than at any time since the river flowed down along the slopes of the present Regent street.

GUNS HIDDEN IN GERMANY

Howitzer Barrels Discovered by Officers of Disarmament Commission.

The allied disarmament commission in Saxony, discovered 343 howitzer barrels, ready to be mounted, according to a telegram received by Paris from Berlin. A few days before 150 barrels of the same dimensions, 155 millimeters, had been found in another locality, making in all nearly 500 heavy guns almost ready to be put in the field by the German army authorities.

With these guns, it is held, they could efficiently arm more than thirty divisions. The discovery was made. It is said, when officers inspecting a metal works at Heidenau became suspicious because the number of men employed seemed out of proportion to the work done. They made investigation and found a wall at the end of a subterranean passage.

When they asked the director of the factory what was behind the wall he replied that there was absolutely nothing. The officers returned three days later and on examining the wall found that it had a curious look of newness, although it had been splashed over with dirt and some spider webs had been carefully rubbed around corners. The wall was torn down and the howitzer tubes found.

"LAFFIN"

"Theoretically considered, it can out-argy all the logic in existence."

"Anallitically considered, every part of it is equal to the whole."

"Multifariously considered, it is just as different from anything else as it is from itself."

"Spontaneously considered, it is as natural and refreshing as a spring of the roadside."

"Phosphorescently considered, it lights up like a globe lantern."

"But this is too big talk for me; these flatterous words was put into the dictionary for those plants in knowledge who use how they have lead a canon klean up the muzzell with powder and ball when they go out tw hunt ants."

"If a man can't laugh there is sum mistake made in putting him together, and if he won't laugh he wants a much keeping away from a bear-trap when it is set."

"I have seen people who luffed at together too much for their own good or for anybody else's; they left like a barrel or nu sider with the tap pulled out, a perfect stream."—Josh Billings (Henry W. Shaw).

THE BRIDE'S DISCOVERIES

This is the time of year when the June brides have discovered—

That Monday is wash day.

That theaters have balconies.

That Harold's mother cooked things differently.

That taxicabs are a foolish expenditure of money.

That installment furniture isn't all it's cracked up to be.

That engagement solitaires some times have flaws in them.

That credit men are the most obstinate things.

WORDS OF WISE MEN

Knowledge advances by steps and not by leaps.

The truest of this life's joys is making others glad.

The best part of beauty is that which a picture cannot express.

A foolish man thinks all are friendly who meet him with smiles.

Beware of idleness; it is the root that bears the fruit of most other sins.

Many a man has made a good living who has made a poor life. Some men have made splendid lives who have made very moderate and even scanty livings.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS

—OF—

St. Georges Hundred

The taxable residents of St. Georges Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the County and School Taxes for the year 1921 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be

AT CARPENTER'S STORE,
Port Penn
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26th, 1922
From 1 P. M. to 4 P. M.

AT LEE SPARKS' OFFICE,
Odesa, Delaware
THURSDAY, APRIL 27th, 1922
From 1 P. M. to 4 P. M.

AT D. W. STEVENS' OFFICE,
Middletown, Delaware
FRIDAY, APRIL 28th, 1922
From 1 P. M. to 4 P. M.

Taxes received any Week Day at the Post Office at Port Penn.

EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE, GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY, SECTION 3, CHAPTER 30, VOLUME 21, LAWS OF DELAWARE, AS AMENDED:
SEC 3.—That on all County taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January there shall be added one-half of one per centum per month until the same shall be paid.

JAMES T. CARPENTER,
Collector of Taxes for St. Georges Hundred

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

—OF—

Red Lion Hundred

The taxable residents of Red Lion Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the County and School Taxes for the year 1921 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be

AT MY RESIDENCE IN ST. GEORGES,
During the month of APRIL, 1922
Extract from the Laws of Delaware, Governing the Collection of Taxes of New Castle County, Section 3, Chapter 30, Volume 21, Laws of Delaware, as Amended.

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JAMES H. BATTEN,
Collector for Red Lion Hundred.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS

—OF—

Blackbird Hundred

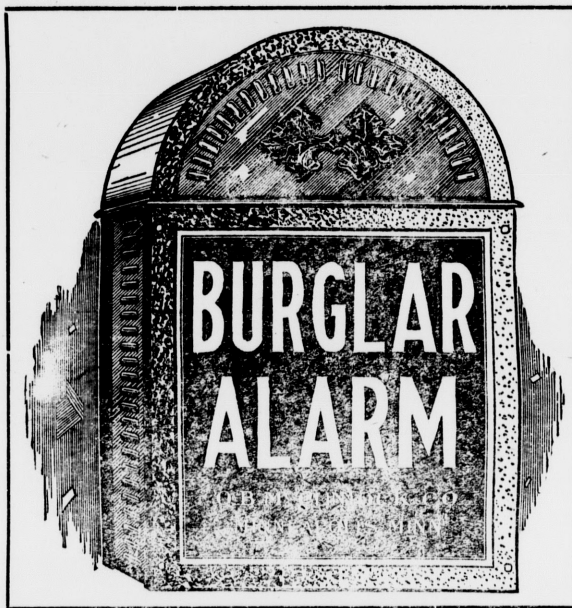
ABSOLUTE SECURITY

The one thing above all others that every Depositor wants
and every Real Banker seeks to provide

So many things are happening these days
that it isn't safe to think you have done your
best **YOU MUST KNOW IT.**

With this thought in mind we began to
look into the question of the proper protection
of our vaults against burglary and our bank
against day-light hold-up.

The banks of the Central West have done
their share in "feeding the burglar" during the
past few years and so far as we are concerned
we do not intend to contribute a penny toward
the support of any bank robber, no matter how
clever he may be.



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This system protects our entire vault
against every kind of attack possible for bur-
glars to make.

You will understand the reason why we
feel so confident about our safety after you
have seen the way this system operates.

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burglar.

THE OLD LINE BURGLARY INSURANCE
COMPANIES RECOGNIZING THE VALUE,
SAFETY AND EFFECTIVENESS OF THIS BUR-
GLAR ALARM SYSTEM, ARE REDUCING
OUR PREMIUM COSTS 50 PER CENT.

\$500 REWARD

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TINGLING with abundant energy, appetites hearty, nerves strong and steady and their faces radiant with the glow of perfect health, the entire family of Louis Gingras, 9 Harrison Ave., Providence, R. I., are an eloquent tribute to the powers of Tanlac, the greatest family medicine the world has ever known.

"I've put Tanlac to the test four times right in my own family and it hasn't failed me once," declared Mr. Gingras. "My wife, my son and my daughter, as well as myself, have all been built up from a half-sick, run-down, worn-out set of people into a healthy, happy family brimful of new life and energy."

And the experience of this family is only typical of thousands of others whose statements are on file in the Tanlac offices. Hardly a day passes that does not bring scores of such messages of praise from every part of the United States and Canada from families where mother, father, son and daughter have all found health, contentment and the joys of living through simply taking a course of Tanlac.

Take, for instance, the case of John Widner, 1671 Roosevelt Ave., Los Angeles, Calif., who says: "My wife, myself and little boy are now as healthy, happy family as you will ever see—and it's all due to Tanlac."

Or that of Mrs. John Marquis and her family of sixteen living in Manchester, N. H., at 202 Belmont St. She says: "Tanalac has been the only medicine used in our house for two years and it has kept every one of the sixteen here in the best of health."

In Chicago, Frank R. Richards, of 441 South Wood St., writes: "We will never be without Tanlac in our house after the remarkable way it has built up my wife, my son and myself to where we are the very picture of health."

No Doubt. "Put and take" isn't always a gamble. It's sometimes a sure thing. When you put more effort into your business you'll take more profit out of it.—The Kodak Salesman.

Really New. Agent—"I've got a device here for getting energy from the sun." Mr. Jones—"Here! Give me one for mine."

Representative of New York is the case of Chas. E. Van Col's family, residing at 129 Fourth Ave., Albany. He says: "Every member of our family is enthusiastic over Tanlac. It's certainly a medicine for all the family."

From far-away Canada comes this message: "My little girl, my son and myself are all enjoying splendid health now and Tanlac brought it all about." Mrs. Bert Hewer, 133 East Avenue, Toronto, Ontario.

"We call Tanlac 'The Family Medicine' here in our Virginia home, because it restored my mother and sister to perfect health, just the same as it has done me," is the enthusiastic statement of Mrs. J. F. Robertson, Danville, Va.

And on through the list, men, women and children from every state in the Union and every province of Canada unhesitatingly come forward and tell in words ringing with sincerity of the wonderful benefits of health and happiness that Tanlac has brought into their homes that were formerly darkened by the gloom of sickness, suffering and despair.

And should you be one of those homes where any member of the family is thin, run down and weakened from loss of appetite, caused by indigestion and stomach troubles, you have at your very door the means that will no doubt bring the sunshine of vigorous health back into their lives and yours, just as it has done in so many thousands of other cases. Do not delay. Get a bottle of Tanlac from your druggist today.

Is It Progress? "It may be progress or it may be another form of motion," said Old Man Doodle, "but it is apparent that nowadays the loss of a reputation for probity and virtue is not so much of a handicap as it was a few years ago. In fact, I have heard some handclapping on the technical acquittal of self-confessed notorious crooks."—Chicago Daily News.

PUT CAR THEFTS AT \$100,000,000

Interstate Commission Works Out Clearance Test to Cut Down Losses of Autos.

OWNERS ARE ASKED TO HELP

Organization Conducts an Active Campaign Throughout the Country With Headquarters Located in the City of Chicago.

Coincident with the announcement that the Interstate Motor Theft Commission would be continued as a permanent organization with headquarters in Chicago, it was said that reports of thefts of automobiles throughout the country indicated that cars valued at \$100,000,000, were stolen every year. It also was asserted that these automobiles thefts showed a loss of \$300,000 for every twenty-four hours.

The Interstate Motor Theft Commission was formed in 1921 for a nationwide inquiry into automobile frauds and thefts and for the destruction of the market for stolen cars. The commission is composed of about 100 persons in different parts of the country, including Deputy Police Commissioner Joseph A. Fauriol, E. M. Allen, member of the Insurance Committee of the United States Chamber of Commerce; J. A. Hall, educational director of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World; Gutzon Borgum, the sculptor and president of the International Sporting Club, and Dan Beard, National Boy Scout commissioner.

National Clearance Test. "A national clearance test to be applied to all cars registered in the United States has been carefully worked out that not only will result in the detection and recovery of a great majority of the unrecovered cars stolen in the past, and that are still in operation, but will prevent to a very large degree, the future sale, use, or registration of stolen cars in any state, regardless of changes in numbers and appearance," says a statement of the commission.

"The plans of the commission are considered the most constructive and business like that have been advanced since the advent of the automobile itself to adequately protect America's \$5,500,000,000 of motor car wealth against commercialized theft and fraud. Since its inception this body has enjoyed almost unqualified moral support and co-operation from many sources, among them police, detective, state, insurance and business authorities, civic organizations, motor car associations, clubs, manufacturers, distributors, dealers and owners."

Owners' Aid Is Asked. The statement added that owners of cars were especially being urged to aid the commission in eliminating automobile thefts throughout the country. It declared that automobile thefting "is today one of the most profitable forms of lawlessness." "Automobile thefts retard the advance of every branch of the motor car industry," the statement continued, "impose a burdensome liability upon owners, and police and state departments. "Many laws to check the motor car theft and fraud evil have been enacted. The majority of them carry heavy penalties, and although many arrests are made throughout the country convictions seem difficult to secure; in any event fewer than should be are accomplished, and no perceptible slackening of this lawlessness is generally apparent."

TO MAKE RAIN VISOR FOR ANY AUTOMOBILE

Tin Device Prevents Fogging of Driver's Vision.

Elements Kept From Striking Glass and Is Great Help in Stormy Weather—When Enamelled Suitably It Is Not Conspicuous.

When it rains against the windshield the view of the road is uncertain and chances of accident are increased. Windshield cleaners are good, but they keep one working. This visor has been devised to prevent the elements from striking the



Attached to the top of your automobile, this tin visor prevents rain or snow from fogging your vision.

glass at all and is a great help to drivers in stormy weather. As most automobilists keep their tops up during winter, it can be fastened permanently in place, for that season at least.

Cut out a piece of sheet tin the desired length and so it can be bent about as shown in the perspective of the windshield edge of the visor, and should be punched with several holes so that it can be tacked to the inside of the front bow of the top.

Make it just low enough so that it will ward off the snow or rain, but not too low to prevent the driver from watching the road. Be sure the side shields come as close as possible to the glass without touching, as they will help to keep drafts from sucking in the snow or rain at the sides.

When enamelled a suitable color to match the car, it will not be unbecomingly or conspicuous in the least. —Popular Science Monthly.

CAN YOU QUALIFY?

What is the firing order of cylinders?
Number of points of lubrication on your car?
Give three reasons for overheating the engine?
What is the purpose of the various speeds of a transmission?
Gasoline and oil consumption per mile?
Road speed in miles per hour at which engine will perform most efficiently and economically?
On average road, driving at a speed of 25 miles per hour, what distance is required to bring your car to a dead stop?

AUTOMOBILE GOSSIP

Under-inflation and over-loading account for most tire trouble.

A not infrequent cause of hard starting is over-richness of the mixture.

Clogging of the cooling system may be prevented by cleaning it at least twice a year with sal soda.

Rubber is very quickly disintegrated by oil, and at the same time it has a most unfortunate capillary affinity for the oil.

NEW LIFE SAVER FOR AUTOMOBILES



The latest thing in bumpers is the new life saver for automobiles. The inventors are Charles Bearly, 11001 Wentworth avenue, Chris Hansen, 11254 South Michigan avenue and William Hasen, 11343 Forest avenue, Chicago, and they are very confident of their invention. Here you see the "fender" in practical use.

Hand Insurance. Smearing vaseline on the hands before tackling any job about the car that means real dirty work will prevent the pores of the skin from being filled with grime and will make cleaning up easy.

Touch Up the Spots. One of the things necessary to keep up the appearance of the motorcar is a constant touching up of such parts as lamps, windshield frame, etc., where black enamel is used.

Compression leaks in the engine are more noticeable at low than at high speed.
Brown shellac mixed with graphite makes an admirable cement for pipe and connections which are subjected to heat and compression.

Clashing transmission gears, if they are operated correctly, are caused by their dragging, and this in turn is probably due to some fault in the clutch.

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We will supply cut stencils to any user of Alabastine—one stencil for each room requiring not less than two packages, if you will send the large words ALABASTINE cut from the face of the packages over the cross and circle, accompanied by 15c in stamps or silver for each stencil desired, covering postage and packing. Write for free booklet, "Nature's Beautiful Tints."

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Rev. Dr. L. D. Bass, Kilmarnoch, Va., and Miss Eleanor Biss, music teacher, Greenville, N. C., are to take a party through Europe starting in June, visiting 15 countries, the battlefields, the Passion Play. Those who covet the opportunity offered for travel, at moderate expense, in a congenial group of cultured people, are cordially invited to join this party, conducted by an experienced guide.

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Religion in Ireland.

One of the strangest contradictions in Ireland is the fact that the old Catholics worship in new churches, while the new Protestants retain the old churches. In Armagh, for instance, P. W. Wilson writes in World's Work, there are two archbishops, the one a cardinal and the other the Protestant primate. The cardinal's cathedral, with its delicate spires, is recent—fresh-looking—modern. The primate, however, controls the old gray shrine with its grim tower, which was reared for Catholicism by medieval monks. Some Catholics think this is a grievance; others consider that new buildings are better suited than old ones to the needs of the Twentieth century. Be that as it may, you have in Dublin two great cathedrals—St. Patrick's and Christ church—both medieval and both Protestant—while Catholics fill their churches five times on a Sunday morning.

Some women marry in order to be independent and some men get married for the same reason.

Marriage may be a failure in some cases, but with the advent of twins it becomes a howling success.

A man may not be able to find his wife's pockets, but she always knows where his are located.

Lots of men go short on fiction because it is stranger than truth.

MADE POOR RENT COLLECTOR

Indianapolis Man Evidently Too Good-Natured to Succeed in That Line of Business.

Bachelor Joe Stokes, the druggist, never gets peace from his story-telling friends.

Joe owns some rental property in one of the industrial districts. Things have been a bit slow in industry lately and Joe has had trouble collecting his rents. His real estate broker constantly was returning word that he could not collect.

"I'll go out and collect it myself," Mr. Stokes said, a bit peevishly—that is, if Joe ever gets that way.

Anyhow, a day or two later Joe started out on a rental collecting tour. Late that afternoon he returned to his drug store. An unusual little smile was working at the corners of Joe's mouth.

"Any luck?" one of the clerks inquired.

"Any luck? Boy, you're crazy! Instead of paying me they borrowed money from me everywhere I went."—Indianapolis News.

Speaking of Furniture.

Bride—"I want to buy an easy chair for my husband." Salesman—"Morris?" Bride—"No, Clarence."

Women are fond of bargains, yet a cheap man is never popular with them.

Killing Mosquito Larvae.

A mixture of one part Paris green to one hundred parts of dust—road dust is good—thrown up in a cloud, to be carried by a light wind and allowed to settle on pools where mosquitoes breed, is the newest and most successful method of killing the larvae. The minute quantity of the poison is not injurious to stock that might drink of the water, and the only possible danger is that of inhaling the dust, which can be guarded against. The larvae of the mosquito eat anything that is held suspended by the surface tension of the water, and they are easily poisoned.—Youth's Companion.

Too Busy to Play.

Jerome has command of an unusually large vocabulary for a child of his age and also is in the habit of doing things thoroughly. On a recent occasion his uncle came into the house and found him crying.

He said to the baby: "Come play with uncle."

To which Jerome answered: "I can't."

Uncle asked: "Why can't you?"

Jerome answered: "I'm busy cwyng," and went on with his self-appointed task with all the vigor at his command.

One Man Not Henpecked.

"Does your husband ever take your advice?" "Only as a joke."



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Self-Supporting.

An attorney of Los Angeles advertised for a chauffeur. Some twenty odd responded and were being questioned as to qualifications, efficiency and whether married or single. Finally, turning to a negro chap, he said:

"How about you, George; are you married?"

"Naw-sir, boss, naw-sir. Ah makes mah own livin'."—From Judge.

Good humor is a good habit.

Catch as Catch Can.

"Don't rush away, old man." "I must. My wife is sitting up and if I miss the last train I shall catch it, but if I catch it I shall miss it; that is, what I would catch if I didn't catch it, therefore I don't want to miss it because I don't want to catch it. Catch on?"

Everybody sentimentalizes over the dear old farm except those who have to work on it.

From a Bride:

"As a young housewife of only two and one-half years' experience I am glad to find that even we amateurs can cook successfully if we use Royal Baking Powder."

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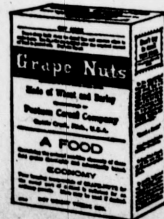
When Will There Be A Disarmament of Dining Tables?

Suppose everybody would recognize the fact that there's no gain but much loss in keeping up hostilities with the stomach!

Suppose the ancient aggravation of improper food on indignant digestive organs should be settled with guarantees of sensible diet and tranquil digestion!

The saving would be beyond all possibility of counting.

Yet millions go on declaring war on the stomach and accepting war in return—loading up on starchy, heavy, unbalanced and highly-seasoned food at breakfast or lunch—and wondering why comfort, happiness and efficiency are out of reach.



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TOWNSEND

Mrs. Price Lattomus visited Mrs. W. A. Scott on Saturday.

George Chambers, of Newark, visited friends here on Sunday.

Henry Gray, of Wilmington, was a visitor here on Wednesday.

Mrs. Raymond Jones visited friends in Wilmington on Tuesday.

James D. Morgan, of Elk Neck, Md., was in town on Wednesday.

Miss Edith Collins, of Philadelphia, is visiting friends near town.

H. B. Medders, of Still Pond, Md., was a visitor here on Thursday.

George Sanderson, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Mildred Clark, of Wilmington, is visiting Miss Helen Knolls.

George C. Smith, of Clayton, was a Townsend visitor on Wednesday.

Richard Fenimore, of Middletown, was in town Tuesday on business.

George Sullivan, of Port Norris, N. J., was a visitor here on Monday.

Several of the residents here are planning to install radio telephones.

Mrs. Clyde L. Shockey who has been ill with the grip is now convalescing.

William Frederick, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with Wilson Lattomus.

Miss Ruth Simmons spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. L. L. Maloney.

Miss Alyce Hennessey spent the week-end with Miss Elizabeth Maloney.

Miss Mary Moore, of the Levels, was a Sunday guest of Miss Mary Schwatka.

Ellis Moore, of Smyrna, spent the week-end with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. J. A. Hart and Mrs. Dallas N. Hart were Philadelphia visitors on Wednesday.

Mrs. M. Reba Wilson spent Thursday and Friday with her sister, Mrs. Zeta Barham.

Samuel Wheeler and wife, of Newark, spent Sunday with T. B. Schwatka and wife.

Mrs. David L. Allen, of Middletown, spent Wednesday with relatives and friends here.

Miss Ruth Hutchison has returned home from a week's visit among friends in Philadelphia.

Reynolds Hodgson, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with his parents, Richard Hodgson and wife.

Mrs. Harry Stidham, of Odessa, was a caller at the home of G. M. Outten and wife on Tuesday.

Walter Ford and family, of Cheswold, were Sunday visitors at the home of T. B. Schwatka and wife.

Winfield Lattomus has returned home from Philadelphia, where he was under treatment by a noted specialist.

Mrs. Clarence L. Butler and little daughter, Louise, of Golt, Md., visited Mrs. C. L. Shockey on Tuesday.

Rev. R. P. Nichols and wife, of Smyrna, were callers at the home of Mrs. Eva Lattomus and sister on Sunday.

Dr. J. A. Cottam, of Langhorne, Pa., has been visiting Dr. B. Maloney and daughter, Miss Ethelwyn J. Maloney.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson, of Smyrna, and Frank Reynolds, of Wilmington, visited at the home of W. P. Reynolds on Sunday.

F. B. Meade and wife, of Summit Bridge, and James Jackson and wife, of Newark, spent Sunday with T. B. Schwatka and wife.

Miss Lillian West is recovering from an operation for appendicitis, which was performed at the Medico-Chi Hospital, Philadelphia.

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usual celebration, all of the celebrants being present except Miss Nina Collins, of Philadelphia, including the hostess, Mrs. Townsend. The others whose birthday comes on April 9th, are her son, John Townsend, Jr., and Mrs. Garrett Othson, of Middletown.

A meeting of local business men and residents in general which was called for Tuesday evening to organize for a law enforcement week, was held in the school auditorium as had been arranged, and was largely attended, being a representative gathering as well as one of much interest. Rev. George P. Jones was made temporary chairman and S. R. Townsend, temporary secretary. J. C. Hutchison was appointed permanent chairman for Appoquinimink Hundred, S. K. Townsend, permanent secretary, and Thomas Lattomus, permanent treasurer. The object of the meeting was to arouse enthusiasm in behalf of permanent law enforcement society and to make special effort to have a complete observance of law enforcement week, if possible. Thomas Lattomus was appointed on finance committee to choose two helpers to raise \$25.00 or thereabout. The Rev. Jones and the secretary were appointed to see about a general announcement to the public in an address by Mr. Sunwalt, of Grace Church to be in the auditorium here on Thursday evening, April 27th on Law Enforcement.

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23,000 cu. yds. Excavation

2,300 cu. yds. Borrow

3,000 tons Broken Stone Base Course

9,820 cu. yds. Cement Concrete Pavement

300 cu. yds. Class A Concrete

140 cu. yds. Class B Concrete

24,000 lbs. Reinforcement

420 lin. ft. 15 in. R. C. Pipe

250 lin. ft. 18 in. R. C. Pipe

60 lin. ft. 24 in. R. C. Pipe

28 lin. ft. 30 in. R. C. Pipe

23 lin. ft. 36 in. R. C. Pipe

300 lin. ft. Relaid Pipe 18 in. and under

800 sq. yds. Class A Concrete Gutter

500 lin. ft. Wire Cable Guard Rail

CONTRACT CS-15 0.71 MILES

1,100 cu. yds. Excavation

1,200 cu. yds. Borrow

985 cu. yds. Cement Concrete Pavement

270 tons W. B. Macadam Surface Course

20 cu. yds. Class A Concrete

600 lbs. Reinforcement

140 lin. ft. 15 in. R. C. Pipe

800 lin. ft. Wood Guard Rail (Lumpsum) Addition to Timber Bridge

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CONTRACT CS-17 3.33 MILES

10,800 cu. yds. Excavation

9,900 cu. yds. Borrow

100 tons Broken Stone Base Course

4,800 cu. yds. Cement Concrete Pavement

230 cu. yds. Class A Concrete

24,000 lbs. Reinforcement

23,000 lbs. Structural Steel

220 lin. ft. 15 in. R. C. Pipe

224 lin. ft. 18 in. R. C. Pipe

100 lin. ft. Relaid Pipe more than 18 in.

1,850 lin. ft. Wire Cable Guard Rail

1,200 lin. ft. Timber Piling

CONTRACT NO. 46 1.45 MILES

10,000 cu. yds. Excavation

3,500 cu. yds. Borrow

80 tons Broken Stone Base Course

2,570 cu. yds. Cement Concrete Pavement

70 tons Amiesite Filler

200 cu. yds. Class A Concrete

85 cu. yds. Class B Concrete

17,000 lbs. Reinforcement

200 lin. ft. 15 in. R. C. Pipe

36 lin. ft. 18 in. R. C. Pipe

1,000 lin. ft. Cable Guard Rail

1,150 lin. ft. Timber Piling

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ALL that certain lot or piece of land with the buildings thereon erected, known as No. 1826 West Fifth street, situate in the city of Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in the southerly side of Fifth street, at the distance of one hundred and one foot four and one-half inches easterly from the easterly side of Lincoln street; thence southerly, parallel with Lincoln street, and passing through the middle of the brick division wall between the house on this lot and the house on the lot adjoining, on the east, eighty feet to the said southerly side of Fifth street, and thence there by westerly fourteen feet seven and one-half inches to the place of beginning. Be the contents thereof what they may. Reserving unto Ernesto Di Sabatino, former owner of said premises, his heirs and assigns, the right and privilege of building into and against said westerly gable wall without any expense to him or them for any claim or charge by the present or future owners of the said property hereby conveyed their heirs and assigns.

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No. 2. Beginning at a point on the southerly side of Eighth street at the distance of eighty feet easterly from the corner of the intersection of the southerly side of Eighth street with the easterly side of Woodlawn avenue; thence easterly along said southerly side of Eighth street ninety feet to a point; thence southerly parallel with Woodlawn avenue, one hundred and thirty-two feet to the southerly side of Eighth street and place of beginning.

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